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- (1) U.S. Patent No. 6,528,070 B1 (BRATESCU et al.), March 4, 2003;
- (2) U.S. Patent Application Publication 2003/0211058 A1 (MATTS et al.), November 13, 2003;
- (3) U.S. Patent No. 6,267,978 B1 (SANG et al.), July 31, 2001;

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- (4) U.S. Patent No. 6,143,310 (SANG et al.), November 7, 2000;
- (5) U.S. Patent No. 6,391,290 B1 (FOWLER), May 21, 2002;
- (6) U.S. Patent No. 6,596,779 B1 (JEAN-NOEL et al.) July 22, 2003;
- (7) U.S. Patent No. 6,013,269 (EL-NOKALY et al.), January 11, 2000;
- (8) U.S. Patent No. 6,537,537 B2 (DECKNER et al.), March 25, 2003;
- (9) U.S. Patent No. 5,196,187 (NICOLL et al.), March 23, 1993;
- (10) U.S. Patent No. 6,153,657 (KISUNO et al.) November 28, 2000;
- (11) U.S. Patent Application Publication 2002/0106337 A1 (DECKERS et al.),  
August 8, 2002;
- (12) U.S. Patent No. 5,922,311 (TERREN et al.), July 13, 1999;
- (13) U.S. Patent No. 6,649,577 B1 (BLECKMANN et al.), November 18, 2003;
- (14) U.S. Patent Application Publication 2003/0072779 A1 (SATO et al.), April 17,  
2003;
- (15) U.S. Patent Application Publication 2002/0136743 A1 (LANGLOIS et al.),  
September 26, 2002,
- (16) U.S. Patent No. 6,372,234 B1 (DECKERS et al.), April 16, 2002;
- (17) WO 99/09952 A1, March 4, 1999;
- (18) U.S. Patent No. 5,959,019 (RIESGRAF et al.), September 28, 1999;  
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- (19) WO 01/52795 A2, July 26, 2001.

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Copies of the above-listed documents (with the exception of U.S. patents and U.S. patent applications) are enclosed together with a completed copy of the PTO-1449 Form listing these documents. Accordingly, the Examiner is requested to consider these documents and to indicate such consideration by returning a signed and initialed copy of the PTO-1449 Form with the next official communication.


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